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SANTA CLARA TAKEN

Details of a Recent Victory of the Insurgents.

NEWS NOT PERMITTED BY WIRE.

Two Travelers Just From Cuba Will Make a Report to Senator Cameron. Censorship Dispatches Report Spanish Victories—Fillibusters to Be Tried For Piracy—Other Cuban War Dispatches.

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan. 25.—Various travelers just arriving from Cuba confirm the capture of Santa Clara by the Cubans and also bring news that the insurgents have been fighting in the near vicinity of Havana, and a few days ago wrecked a passenger train within two miles of that city. Two young Englishmen direct from Cuba, Harry E. York and Leo A. Hervey, have reached this city after having passed several weeks in Cuba and with the insurgent army part of the time and the remainder in the field with the Spanish troops. Hervey has received a shot through the left arm. They are preparing a report for Senator Cameron which will be forwarded to Washington in a few days. The Cubans are not in want of men, but money, ammunition and medicine. There are not over 25,000 Cubans, while the Spaniards and volunteers now number 285,000 men, mostly very young and not good fighting material.

All operations are in the nature of guerrilla warfare and both sides are systematically burning plantations and the country will be reduced to barbarism. The Cubans are relying on being favored by McKinley and expect immediately on his inauguration he will recognize their belligerency if not their independence.

Hervey gives a graphic account of the capture of Santa Clara by the insurgents where the utmost gallantry was displayed by the Spanish being overcome by the magnificent valor of the patriots. Hervey says it was told him in the Cuban camp that Maceo had his lower jaw shot away but was alive and recuperating.

General Gomez is not treating for peace and although there is a peace party among the Cubans it is a small one.

The capture of the town of Agutec by the Cubans was a brilliant piece of work. Three thousand Spaniards held the place but the Cubans showed better generalship.

At Santa Clara the Cubans took and held the town just long enough to ruin it. Hervey does not consider there is any decided prospect of victory for either side.

TO PUNISH FILIBUSTERS.

Judge Harmon Will Have Them Arrested, Charged With Piracy.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Since the decision of Judge Locke some days ago at Jacksonville, Fla., in the case of a suspected filibuster, the Three Friends, Attorney General Harmon has given the question raised by the defense careful consideration, and has reached the conclusion that the decision is not good law. The question was to the effect that the law inhibiting the outfitting and departure from the United States of armed expeditions to aid a people in its contests against the lawful authority of a nation with which the United States is on friendly terms does not apply to the Cuban insurgents, they not being a people within the meaning of the law.

The attorney general takes a view directly in opposition to that announced by Judge Locke, and in order that the matter may be brought to a speedy determination he has applied to the United States supreme court for a writ of certiorari on the United States court of appeals at New Orleans, directing that the case be at once certified to the United States supreme court for trial. The attorney general, in speaking of the matter, said that if Judge Locke's interpretation of the law, that these expeditions are not political, is correct, it necessarily follows that persons engaged in them are pirates, and that he was seriously considering the question of arresting them as such. The attorney general is very much in earnest in this matter, and it is not at all unlikely that heroic steps will be taken to put a stop to the expeditions which are constantly being set afoot in aid of the Cuban insurgents.

DIRECT BY WIRE.

Censorship Dispatches Report Victories For the Spanish Troops.

HAVANA, Jan. 25.—Captain General Weyler was encamped Saturday night at Bolondron, in Matanzas province, and yesterday he continued his march.

A number of skirmishes have occurred in Pinar del Rio, Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara provinces, the Spanish columns fighting a number of insurgent band and taking their camps with four prefectures, arms, effects and documents. The insurgents lost 37 killed, among them being three prefects, and lost four prisoners, who were immediately court-martialed. The Spanish lost three killed and two officers and 26 soldiers.

Lieutenant Colonel Diaz Vicario, with the 300 of the battalion Espana and a local guerrilla force of 40 men under Lieutenant Menendez, set out from Monagua, near Havana, and at the farm of Volcan met an insurgent band. The guerrilla force attacked the insurgents, and in a hand to hand fight Lieutenant Menendez received two rifle wounds but killed his antagonist. Three of the guerrillas were seriously wounded. The insurgents did not await the

coming of the column, but when it arrived upon their position it was found that they had left 33 killed, having carried off many wounded. The column had one soldier killed, and the captain, two lieutenants and five soldiers wounded. Colonel Vicario also received bruises.

QUICK RETRIBUTION.

Spaniards Poison a Well and Their Own Troops the Victims.

KEY WEST, Fla., Jan. 25.—A horrible story comes from Jumento, province of Santa Clara, telling of quick retribution to the Spaniards for their butchery and barbarous methods of warfare.

A Spanish force under Captain Martelli entered the place, which had been a camp of the insurgents, and before going away secretly poisoned the wells and a fine spring that is noted for miles around as affording extra pure water. That evening a Spanish band of guerrillas entered the town after the others had left and camped out. They used the water, and before the trouble could be ascertained over 25 men died.

The guerrilla captain was furious, and he charged the Cuban residents with poisoning his men. They took a lot of the principal residents prisoners and putting them in rows shot them dead. The women were then turned over to the tender mercies of the men. Several young boys who attempted to save their mothers and sisters were ruthlessly shot down. The place was burned, the captain swearing that not one board should be left to mark the place. The next day some of the soldiers from the first company were seen and they told the story of the trap they had set for the Cubans, but were horrified to learn that their own companions in arms had been caught by their barbarous plots.

SENATOR GEORGE ILL.

Owing to His Advanced Age His Friends Fear the Worst.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—United States Senator James Z. George of Mississippi is dangerously ill from heart failure at the Garfield hospital in this city, and owing to his advanced age his friends are very apprehensive of the outcome. Two grandchildren, Miss Hemmaway and Mr. George, his private secretary, are with him, while his daughter, Mrs. Henderson, and his sons have been summoned to his bedside from their home in Mississippi.

For some months the senator has been suffering from this same trouble and he was unable to be in Washington at the opening of congress in December. Less than three weeks ago, while still very ill, he came to the city and at once placed himself under the care of Dr. Bermann, who, with Dr. Fry, advised him to go to the hospital for treatment. He has been there since that time. His condition not showing satisfactory improvement a consultation was held Saturday between the two physicians and Dr. Osler, professor at Johns Hopkins university in Baltimore, and the conclusion reached that the senator's condition will require the greatest care and most skilled treatment.

Senator George's ill-health is due to his advanced age accelerated by years of hard and constant work. The senator's wife is in Mississippi. Owing to an attack of paralysis she will not be able to come to Washington.

Senator George, who is now in his 71st year, has served as a member of the United States senate for nearly 15 years and the term for which he was elected expires March 3, 1899. He was a gallant soldier in the Mexican and civil wars (serving on the confederate side) and is a well known lawyer. He held important judicial positions in his state prior to his election to the senate.

WORSE THAN POOR.

Mark Twain, Once Rich, Is Struggling For Existence in London.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—Few of Mark Twain's many friends know of the plucky fight he is making with adversity, or how badly he has been used by fortune. In a word, Mark Twain, who a couple of years ago thought himself a rich man, is today worse than penniless.

Since his return from Africa, a few months ago, he has been living in very modest lodgings in London, going nowhere and seeing but one or two friends, working all day and every day at a history of his trip around the world. With the proceeds of this book he hopes to be able to pay off his creditors and to have something for himself. Mark Twain lost practically everything when Webster & Company failed, and his trip around the world, which he undertook with the hope of retrieving his fortunes, did not turn out a financial success for him. So, over 60 years of age, in poor health and in a strange country, America's greatest humorist is, perhaps, working harder than ever before.

Queen Li Attends Church.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—With the exception of the time during which she attended divine services ex-Queen Lilioukalani of Hawaii remained in her apartments at the Shoreham yesterday. In the morning, accompanied by her Hawaiian attendants, she attended St. John's Episcopal church, within two blocks of the hotel. United States Treasurer Morgan was the only caller on her majesty during the day, and he came to pay his respects and to invite the queen to inspect the gold and silver vaults in the treasury building.

KNOXVILLE, Jan. 25.—Mrs. J. B. Pound, wife of the publisher of the Knoxville Tribune, Knoxville Sentinel and Chattanooga News, died suddenly here yesterday. Mrs. Pound is a native of Georgia and her remains will be shipped to Macon for interment.

CONGRESS PROGRAM.

Forecast of the Week's Proceedings in Both Branches.

VERY UNCERTAIN IN THE SENATE.

The Nicaraguan Canal Bill to Be Disposed of in Some Manner—International Money Conference Menace—The Cuban Question Will Be Debated in the Senate. Program of the House.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The senate program this week is rendered very uncertain by the condition of the Nicaragua canal bill. With that measure out of the way, the bankruptcy bill probably would be given the right of way early in the week, but even with the road cleared to the extent of the removal of the Nicaragua bill it is not probable any headway will be made with the bankruptcy bill before Wednesday.

The time of the senate after 3 o'clock today will be devoted to eulogies upon the late Speaker Crisp, and the time previous to that hour after the disposal of the routine morning business will be consumed by Senator Turpie in a speech discussing the Cameron resolution. The speech may be broken in upon at 2 o'clock by a contention for precedence between the friends of the Nicaragua bill and the supporters of the bankruptcy bill, but if so it is likely that the contest will be postponed to a more convenient season.

It is known that Senator Turpie will take advanced ground favorable to Cuban recognition, and it is hinted that he will take occasion to criticize Mr. Olney's position sharply. Mr. Turpie's speech may prove to be the first of several on the Cuban question, but the committee on foreign relations is manifesting no disposition to press the resolutions to a vote.

Tuesday Senator Chandler expects to secure a vote on his bill providing for the representation of this country at an international monetary conference. There will be several short speeches and more or less running debate on this measure, but it is believed that all substitutes and amendments will be voted down and the bill passed before the close of the day set for its consideration. Senator Cameron has a substitute requiring this government to take the initiative in calling a conference, which may give the movers of the original bill more or less trouble.

The bankruptcy bill will be debated at considerable length when reached, though Senator George, its especial champion, as reported to the senate, is absent from the city.

Senator Morgan will make a strenuous effort to prevent the Nicaragua canal bill from losing its place as the unfinished business on the calendar, and it is understood will submit amendments which will meet the demands of those who hold that the bill requires further work by committee, in view of the new position of Nicaragua as developed by Senor Rodriguez's letter. The senator will take the position that the bill should be amended in the senate, if not satisfactory, and that it should then be voted upon and not sent back to committee.

Senator-elect Kenney of Delaware may present his credentials during the week, but not until after the committee on privileges and elections, which is to meet Thursday, shall have passed upon the Dupont petition and the Addicks credentials.

HOUSE PROGRAM.

The Immigration Bill Will Finally Be Disposed Of.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The most interesting feature of the house program for the coming week, unless the Nicaragua canal bill should receive consideration, which in view of the recent complications seems entirely improbable, will be the fight against conference report on the immigration bill. Mr. Barthold of Missouri, who made an ineffectual attempt to prevent the bill from going to conference, will lead the opposition to the bill as agreed on by the conferees. There seems to be little doubt that the friends of the measure will be triumphant in the end as the sentiment in favor of an immigration bill in the house is, as shown by the votes on previous occasions, in a strong majority. Nevertheless Mr. Barthold proposes to do all in his power to defeat the conference report.

Two appropriation bills, the agricultural and Indian, will probably consume the remainder of the week. There are some features of both bills which may cause considerable debate. Such time as may be spared will be given to the committees to call up such bills as have been reported by them.

FIRE IN CHICAGO.

Nearly Half a Million Dollars' Worth of Property Destroyed.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—The Northwestern Stove Repair company's factory, 225 to 237 West Twelfth street, was entirely destroyed by fire last night. When the fire engines arrived it was found that the water in every fire plug in the neighborhood had been frozen and 15 minutes elapsed before a stream could be brought to bear on the flames.

During this time the fire spread with such alarming rapidity that the residents in the vicinity of the fire began to move their household effects out of their homes. Finally when water had been turned on the flames enveloped the entire building. The firemen, however, kept the fire confined to the stove factory. The damage done to adjoining buildings was entirely by water.

The Northwestern Stove Repair company is owned by Robert E. and Ralph

S. Greenlee. They place the damage on the contents of their establishment at \$300,000 and on the building at \$125,000. The exact amount of insurance is not known, but it is thought that the loss is almost entirely covered.

Three firemen and a watchman employed by the stove company were injured during the fire.

FAMINE IN INDIA.

It Is Not as Bad as Some Reports Have Made It Appear.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—(Copyright, 1897, by the Associated Press.)—The special representative of the Associated Press, who is traveling through the famine districts in India, accompanying the governments' party of inspection, sends a dispatch from Kolhapur.

He says that the reports which have been sent to England and the United States of the acute famine said to exist in the southern Maharashtra states have been exaggerated, so far as his observation has extended. A scarcity of grain does, indeed, prevail in the extreme eastern portion of this region, but the people there were able to escape want by migrating, most of them, to the fertile Kancon plains and elsewhere, where the shortness of the grain supply is not felt.

Rice also is plentiful and means and measures for the relief of the hungry are pronounced adequate where needed.

The Maharajah, in an interview with the Associated Press representative on the prospects of his people escaping starvation, said that his state expected a famine every five years and were therefore not taken unawares or unprepared when it came. They were prepared, he said, to spend five lacs of rupees for relief in his territory.

The British resident was also interviewed and confirmed the statements of the Maharajah as to the situation, adding that the relief organization was most efficient in the Bombay presidency and that the difficulties from famine and of securing and distributing relief were lighter than in former famines. The resident summed up his views as follows:

"My observation has been, in traveling over the whole western side, that the famine is not severe there, though it may increase toward June. But in the districts in which I have traveled I have not heard of a single death from starvation."

MAN AND WIFE MURDERED.

The Robbers Expected to Get a Large Sum of Money, but Did Not.

MITCHELL, Ind., Jan. 25.—Shortly after 1 o'clock Saturday morning an unknown man entered the home of Samuel Kirby, a wealthy farmer living about two miles southwest of French Lick Springs, with the intention of robbing Mr. Kirby of a large sum of money which he had just withdrawn from the bank for the purpose of investing in real estate. However, Mr. Kirby had taken the precaution to place the money in charge of his married son and the robbers were foiled in their attempt to secure the money.

After completely crushing the skull of Mr. Kirby and breaking the jaw of his wife and severely bruising both on the body with an ax, they finally secured \$7 in money that Mr. Kirby had of church funds. There is absolutely no hope for the recovery of either Mr. or Mrs. Kirby, and the whole neighborhood is thoroughly aroused and every effort is being made to locate the perpetrators of the deed.

THREE HUNDRED PEOPLE KILLED.

They Were Trampled to Death During a Panic in a Chinese Theater.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The steamer Gaelic, from Hong-Kong and Yokohama brings the following:

Advices from Fuchau, received at Hong-Kong on Jan. 2, report a terrible catastrophe in a temple at Kwang-Fou on Dec. 8 last. A theatrical performance was held for the first time in the place, and was attended by a large crowd of natives and a few Europeans. One of the temple lamps was overturned, firing the building. The panic-stricken crowd tried to force a way through two small doors. In the crush 300 persons were trampled to death. The victims were principally women and children. Of the 40 actors only four escaped alive, and two of the survivors are in the native hospitals suffering from internal injuries, and may die.

THE OUTLOOK GLOOMY.

Coalton Miners Vote to Continue the Strike.

COALTON, O., Jan. 25.—The miners of Jackson county met Saturday and voted upon a proposition of accepting the reduction demanded by the operators.

Representatives of various mines met in convention at Wellston Saturday afternoon to cast the votes of their respective mines. The vote cast was 3 to 1 in favor of continuing the strike. This means a fight to a finish on the question of a 9-cent differential above the Hocking basis.

Several mines in this, the Coalton district, are paying the price demanded by the miners, and 600 miners are employed. Both miners and operators seem more determined than ever, and the outlook is gloomy.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 25.—The remains of the late minister to Hawaii, Hon. Albert S. Willis, reached here at 8 o'clock yesterday evening via the Pennsylvania railroad, after a long journey from Hawaii. Mrs. Willis, with her sister, Miss May Dulaney, Albert S. Willis, Jr., and Colonel James Tucker of San Francisco accompanied the remains. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at Cave Hill cemetery; this city

AWAY BELOW ZERO.

Coldest Weather of the Winter Now Prevailing.

SEVERE IN THE NORTHWEST.

Bismarck, North Dakota, Reports Thirty-Two Degrees Below Zero, and Many Other Places From Twenty to Thirty Below—People Freezing to Death in Chicago—Extent of the Storm.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—According to the records of the weather bureau this is the coldest day in Chicago in 25 years. At no time since the Chicago station has been established has there been so low a maximum temperature recorded. It is a steady cold. The signal service reports 17 below and still falling. On the street it is several degrees below that. The cold is made more intense, as it is accompanied by a brisk, sharp wind.

The sufferings among the poorer class is intense, and a number of cases of destitution were reported to the police. At Grand Crossing, 33 families with 86 children were found in their poorly protected hovels, unable to care for themselves. Ears, noses and hands were whitened and numbed by the cold. They were cared for and physicians summoned to render relief.

In South Chicago five families were found actually freezing to death. These were also removed by the police to warmer quarters, where proper treatment was given them. A number of other cases were found in other parts of the city.

To aid the poor on account of the extreme severity of the weather the county coal contractor delivered 400 loads of coal to destitute families yesterday. This is the first time such a delivery has been made on Sunday. Food and clothing were also given out.

There were between 15 or 20 cases reported to the police of people being found in the streets suffering from frozen hands, feet, ears and noses. Of these two or three are in a serious condition. Only one death from cold was reported, that of a child.

EXTREME NORTHWEST.

Coldest Weather of the Winter Is Now Prevailing.

ST. PAUL, Jan. 25.—The coldest weather of the winter thus far was experienced in this section last night and today, the mercury being away down in the minus figures, from 20 to 30 degrees below, thermometers varying in different parts of the city. The weather bureau's official record in this city gave 18 below zero, while other northwestern stations reported as follows: Helena, 14 below; Bismarck and Winnipeg, 24 below; Huron, 20 below, and Duluth, 18 below.

Specials from Rochester, Minn., say that it is the coldest day for many years, the thermometer indicating 20 below, and the severe cold is intensified by a 25-mile gale from the northwest. The mercury is falling steadily.

Aberdeen, S. D., has not had a mail train from any direction since Friday night and indications are strong that the blockade will prove to be the worst yet experienced. No effort has been made to clear the roads for three days past, because of continual wind, and the cuts are now full. The Milwaukee passenger train from the south is in a drift near Bonilla.

Bismarck, N. D., reports a severe blizzard prevailing with mercury 33 below zero and a high wind blowing. It is the worst storm of the season for stockmen, and the losses will probably be heavy, owing to the low temperature.

EXTENT OF THE COLD WAVE.

As Far East As the Ohio Valley and Southward to Texas.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The severe cold wave now extends as far east as the Ohio valley and southward to Texas where the temperature has fallen from 20 to 40 degrees in the past 24 hours. It is below freezing in Tennessee and central Texas; it is below zero in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri, and 20 degrees below zero over the Dakotas and Minnesota.

Light local snows are reported from southern New England and southwestward over the Ohio valley, Tennessee and northern Texas. The weather is generally fair in the northwest and the south Atlantic states.

The indications are that the cold wave will extend eastward and southward over the Atlantic and gulf coasts Monday the temperature will fall to near zero from Virginia northward and freezing weather will extend southward to the gulf and south Atlantic states.

Blizzard Raging in Texas.

AUSTIN, Jan. 25.—A cold wave struck this section yesterday and increased in velocity until midnight when a drizzling rain began, which is freezing as it falls, covering everything with ice. The mercury dropped from 40 to 10 above zero and is still falling. Reports from stock ranges in the west of the state say that much apprehension of severe loss is felt as many herds are without shelter.

Natural Gas Pressure Very Low.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 25.—The cold wave has this city by the throat, the thermometer at the weather office registering 5 below zero. The natural gas pressure is very low and as all residents depend upon it for fuel there is great suffering. The weather conditions are similar throughout the state. At Anderson it is 7 degrees below

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BRAD-TREK and Dun both state that
"better times are at hand." Thanks.

PERSONAL.

—Mayor Wm H. Cox has returned
from Bowling Green.

—Mr. W. L. Traxel, of Cleveland, O., is
here on a visit to relatives.

—Miss Pearl Rosser has returned home
after visiting friends in Covington.

—Mr. Elmer Pierce and Mr. George A.
Helmert spent Sunday in Portsmouth.

—Judge Cole returned Saturday evening
from Vanceburg where he spent last
week on legal business.

—Miss Hattie Caywood, of Oakwoods,
Fleming County, is the guest of her
friend, Miss Mary Oldham.

—Mr. J. T. Kackley and Mr. Tuce Wil-
lett left for Chicago Sunday to attend the
big bicycle exhibition this week.

—Mr. Dennis McAniff, of Cincinnati,
who is in the C. and O. office at that
place, spent Sunday here with relatives.

—Enquirer: "Mrs. Herbert N. Reno,
of Walnut Hills, has returned home after
spending a few weeks with her mother,
Mrs. Phister, of Mayeville, Ky."

—Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, of Georgetown,
Mrs. Al. McCormick, of Richmond, and
Mrs. Fennell, of Erlanger, were here Sun-
day to attend the funeral of the late John
W. McCormick.

—Messrs Samuel Hunt, President of
the C. P. and V. R. R. and G. W. Lewis,
Superintendent of the Cincinnati Division
of the C. and O., were passengers on No.
3 Sunday afternoon.

—Enquirer: "Mrs. Finch and son and
daughter, Miss Mary A. Finch, promi-
nent society people of Mayeville, Ky.,
are at the St. Nicholas, having run down
Friday evening for a short stay in this
city."

—Messrs. Garrett B. and Buckner Wall,
who have positions with the C. and O. at
Richmond, Va., arrived Saturday on a
short visit to their parents, Judge and
Mrs. Garrett S. Wall. The former left
Sunday morning, accompanied as far as
Portsmouth by his father. Buckner re-
turned last night.

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill street,
South Gardiner, Mass., was told by the
doctors. His son had lung trouble, fol-
lowing typhoid malaria, and he spent
\$375 with doctors, who finally gave him
up, saying: "Your boy won't live a
month." He tried Dr. King's New Dis-
covery and a few bottles restored him to
health and enabled him to go to work a
perfectly well man. He says he owes his
present good health to the use of Dr.
King's New Discovery, and knows it to be
the best in the world for lung trouble.
Trial bottles free at J. James Wood's
drug store.

The Social Position of Actors.

The time was in France when the ac-
tor had no social position, and certainly
no spiritual one. Special dispensation
was necessary when the Catholic church
allowed a mass to be said for the repose
of an actor's soul. In The Chantaguan
Professor Warren, describing the Mo-
liere period, writes:

The social position of actors in Mo-
liere's time was a low one. Not from
any prejudice against the stage evi-
dently, since dramatists like Corneille
and Scarron were on the same footing
at the Hotel de Rambouillet and the
other salons of Paris as poets and essay-
ists and were elected to the French
Academy as readily. Indeed, it would
seem as though the composition of plays
was the shortest road to distinction in
the Paris of Moliere, as it is today. But
with the actors it was another question.
Their wandering, unsettled modes of
life had evidently told against them.
They were not admitted to society
whether their conduct was good or bad.
They were not even considered in the
light of literary persons. Moliere met
his friends, Boileau, La Fontaine, Fu-
retiere, at public cafes. As a writer of
comedy he was either not taken seriously
or had incurred too much hostility on
the part of influential sets, the clergy
through "Tartuffe," the salons through
"Les Femmes Savantes." As an actor
he was considered an outcast with his
class, and when, on his deathbed, he
asked for spiritual consolation his ap-
peal fell on deaf ears till it was too late.
So that it was with the greatest diffi-
culty that his widow procured a bit of con-
secrated ground in which to lay the re-
mains of the unshriven comedian.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-
simile
signature
of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on
every
wrapper.

Delinquent City Taxes.

The delinquent tax list of the city is
now in my hands for collection. Those
indebted are kindly requested to call and
settle, and avoid additional cost or sale
of property.
D. P. ORT,
Chief of Police.

ACCIDENT ins. tickets. W. R. Warder.

PROMISES SHOULD BE KEPT,

Says a Republican, Who Rousts McKinley
and Mark Hanna in a Lively
Talk.

[Enquirer.]

CLEVELAND, Ohio, January 22.—Frank
De Haas Robinson, who has been inti-
mately associated with M. A. Hanna, in
street railway business, is strongly op-
posed to that gentleman as a Senator.
Mr. Robinson is one of the most prominent
Republicans in Northern Ohio. He is a
relative and an intimate friend of Senator
Matt Quay, of Pennsylvania, who is pretty
close to Foraker.

"If Major McKinley and M. A. Hanna
will not redeem some of the promises that
they made to the workingmen of this coun-
try before the election," said Mr. Robinson
this afternoon, "I am in favor of the Re-
publican party, as a party, taking up the
matter. The entire campaign, which was
managed by Hanna, was based on an ap-
peal to the workingmen of this country.
They were promised that the mills would
open as soon as McKinley was elected.
They were promised work. To-day the
times are harder than they were before
election. One-third more men are out of
employment to-day than before McKin-
ley was elected."

"Mr. Hanna's sole ambition was," he
said, "to seat Mr. McKinley in the Presi-
dential chair. He has succeeded in doing
that. But it seems that, after all, his
ambition does not end there. He has
dragged poor old John Sherman out of
the Senate simply to make room for him-
self. He asks Governor Bushnell to ap-
point him."

"Hanna has not kept one promise which
before election he made to the work-
ingmen of this country. Gov. Bushnell has
an opportunity to show the people that
Mr. Hanna and Mr. McKinley and not
the Republican party are to blame for
these unkept promises. There are
enough millionaires in the United States
Senate already. John Sherman is a mil-
lionaire. Mark Hanna is a millionaire."

"I am in favor of Gov. Bushnell going
to the workingmen's organization of the
State and saying to them: The Repub-
lican party will keep the promise it made
to you. You men get together, select a
workingman of brains who will well rep-
resent you in the Senate of the United
States. After you have decided tell me
who he is and I will appoint him to the
seat made vacant by the resignation of a
millionaire who was forced to that to
make room for another millionaire. This
course is the duty of Gov. Bushnell and
the Republican party."

"I am also in favor of President Mc-
Kinley putting a workingman into his
Cabinet. He is in honor bound to do so."

The Balreuth Idolatry of Wagner.

As affording an insight into the criti-
cal methods of the Balreuth circle, let
us take as a striking example one of the
most untiring of the bodyguard, Emer-
ich Kastner, who, as the compiler of a
Wagner catalogue—a catalogue of writ-
ings and musical works by and upon
Richard Wagner—had acquired the rank
and title of great archivist of Wagner-
ian literature. Kastner introduced a
new, critical method, based on the num-
ber of beats and the metric measure and
began to measure out the works of Wagn-
er as one would a stretch of roadway
or a field, with the intention and con-
viction of discovering an unexpected
and highly important principle in art.
By careful computation Kastner found
that "Rienzi" contained 5,980 beats;
the "Flying Dutchman," 4,434; "Tan-
hauser," 4,831; "Lohengrin," 5,129;
the "Meistersinger," 6,513. He then
announced, by means of a demonstration
whose secret will remain eternally lu-
scrutable, that the life destiny and ar-
tistic experiences of Wagner were re-
flected in these dry numbers. In fact, he
went still farther and grouped together
the number of beats in every single
scene from the operas of the master,
continually calculating, adding and sub-
tracting until he reached, through pure-
ly arithmetical methods, the establish-
ment of psychological laws.

This absurd sport, played by him with
figures and notes, many of his colleagues
pursued with the words, syllables, nay,
even the single letters, of Wagner's texts.
Thus a literature was created whereby
mental criticism was to be replaced by
those mechanical instruments—the bal-
ance, the microscope and the knife of
the vivisection. All these researches,
prosecuted with much ardor, clearly
demonstrated to what a degree artistic
views may be lowered through blind
idolatry.—Herr Alexander Moszkowski
in Forum.

Free Pills.

Send your addresses to H. E. Bucklen
& Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box
of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will
convince you of their merits. These
pills are easy in action and are particu-
larly effective in the cure of Constipation
and Sick Headache. For Malaria and
Liver troubles they have been proved in-
valuable. They are guaranteed to be
perfectly free from every deleterious sub-
stance and to be purely vegetable. They
do not weaken by their action, but by
giving tone to stomach and bowels
greatly invigorate the system. Regular
size 25c. per box. Sold by J. J. Wood,
drugist.

Notice.

The Progress Shoe Store will quit busi-
ness in three days. Parties owing the
firm will please call at once and settle.

Where is Her Wandering Boy?

Mrs. Martha Stamper, who lives on a
small "family-boat" and who recently
came here from Portsmouth, has been
trying for some time to locate her young
son, Jacy Van Stamper, who left home
fourteen months ago with a tramp sign
painter who gave the name of C. E. Clyde.
The boy left with the consent of his
mother, Clyde promising to teach him
his trade and to send her \$2 a week for
the boy's services.

She received several letters from the
couple. The last was written at Florence,
Ala., May 20, 1896, and contained \$10.
Since then not a word has she received
from the couple, and she has been trying
through the papers to locate them.

DIED AT MANCHESTER.

Death of Joseph Galbreath, Who Had Many
Relatives in Mason County.

Mr. B. F. Clift received word Sunday
afternoon of the death of his brother-in-
law, Mr. Joseph Galbreath, at Man-
chester, O.

Mr. Galbreath passed away Sunday
morning at 2 o'clock in his eighty-ninth
year. He was married twice, his first
wife being the oldest daughter of the late
Hensley Clift of this county, by Mr.
Clift's first marriage. Mr. Galbreath's
last wife was an Ohio lady, who also pre-
ceded to the grave.

Deceased was an uncle of Mr. E. W.
Galbreath, of this county, and leaves
many other relatives in Mason.

CAPT. VAL P. COLLINS, trustee, through
his attorney, has asked leave to intervene
in the case of the Bank of Cedarville, O.,
versus the Mt. Sterling Waterworks Com-
pany. He asks an injunction restraining
the city of Mt. Sterling from repealing
and annulling the franchise granted to
the Mt. Sterling Gas and Electric Light
Company.

CINCINNATI TOBACCO MARKET.

Offerings Moderate Last Week And Bidding
Quite Animated—Prices About
Same.

The Cincinnati Leaf Tobacco Warehouse
Company in its circular for the week has
the following:

We have a fair market to report for the
past week. The offerings were moderate in size,
and the bidding was, generally, quite animated.
There was some fluctuation, partly brought about
by bad light, which checked the sales at times,
the weather being dark and gloomy part of the
week. Old stocks continued in good demand,
several lots bringing advanced prices over recent
rejections, and, in fact, selling fully up to the
expectations of holders. These were of the bet-
ter grades. Mediums and low grades of old stock,
while also receiving quick attention by the
buyers, were not correspondingly as high as the
former.

The offerings of new stock were somewhat
larger they have been, and mostly very in-
different in quality. We can't report much bet-
terment in prices, save that when a crop or lot of
more than ordinary merit was opened the com-
petition was very marked and bidding, at times,
became excited. We reached averages of 8 1/2 to 9
cents to crops. Several West Virginia parties
made good sales and were well pleased with their
results.

Receipts were not large, owing probably to the
unfavorable season of the previous week, but
these conditions have now changed and stripping
is going on rapidly, so that we may look for in-
creased shipments. As the buyers are ready to
take the goods, we feel encouraged that shippers
will meet in a satisfactory market. Both specu-
lators and manufacturers are liberal bidders on
the new crop, though, of course, there is consid-
erable disappointment with reference to quality,
which falls very much short of all anticipation.

Who does not know women and young girls
who are continually in tears? Who always
sees the dark side? Who have frequent fits of mel-
ancholy without any apparent cause? The in-
telligent physician will know that it is some de-
rangement of the complicated and delicate femi-
nate organs. The young girl suffers, bodily
and mentally, in silence. There is undue
weariness, unexpected pain, unreasonable tears
and fits of temper. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Pre-
scription exerts a wonderful power over woman's
delicate organism. It is an invigorating tonic
and is specific for the peculiar weaknesses, irregu-
larities and painful derangements of woman.
Careless, easy-going doctors frequently treat their
women patients for biliousness, nervousness, dyspep-
sia, liver or kidney troubles, when the real
sickness is in the organs distinctly feminine, and
no help can come till they are made perfectly
strong by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Pre-
scription.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's
Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.,
and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page Common Sense
Medical Adviser, Illustrated.

Special This Week.

6 pounds Levering's coffee..... 90
6 pounds Arbuckle's coffee..... 95
20 pounds granulated sugar..... \$1 00
Cash. R. B. LOVELL.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR ROBERT L. BALDWIN's
many friends will be glad to learn that
he is somewhat better and is improving.

In the Lewis Circuit Court last week
Sam and Dan May were each fined \$25
and given six months in jail for assault-
ing and beating Wash Smith.

CAPTAIN C. W. F. SMITH, a veteran
bandmaster, died Saturday evening at his
home opposite Augusta, of appendicitis,
in the seventy-fifth year of his age. The
Captain years ago was one of the most
celebrated tuba blowers in the country,
and had traveled from ocean to ocean
with the leading bands of America.

Last Call On Cloaks and Blankets!

CLOAKS.

We are still showing in our Cloak department what we believe to be
the best bargains in the town. Five dollars will buy a Jacket now that
would have cost double earlier in the season. Handsome tailored Coats
built of Kersey, Beaver or Freize. Swell trimmings, perfect finishings.

BLANKETS.

A safe investment at any time, and a more economical one now than
in the early season or next fall. If you have a blanket need we feel
certain we can fill it to your complete satisfaction and our credit.
Whether wool mixtures at \$1.50 a pair up or all wools at \$3.50
a pair up, we know your blanket thought can here find its realization.
Our stock is worth investigation—let us show it to you.

DRESS PATTERNS.

A few, not many, left. Closing all at one-third off former prices, some
less. This season's goods, new, fresh—no shopworn disfigurements.

MACKINTOSHES.

and rainy days go together. Nature supplies the one but we are well
equipped to supply the other. Our \$5 Mackintosh is a beauty; double
cape, detachable, velvet collar, plaid lining throughout. Come and get
one before the next rain—it's coming.

D. HUNT & SON. LAMP! LAMP!

Having determined to unload our elegant line of LAMPS at prices heretofore unheard of, we
quote below, good until Saturday, December 19th:

Elegant Brass Banquet Lamps, with globe, \$2 21; worth \$3 50

Elegant Porcelain Banquet Lamps . . . 1 99; worth 3 00

Elegant Vase Lamps, 99; worth 1 50

Balance of Lamp stock reduced in proportion. We intend to make this a special sale to be long re-
membered by happy purchasers. Look in our window.

C. D. RUSSELL & CO., "The Chinamen."

REMOVAL!

NEW HOUSE!

NEW STOCK!

McCLANAHAN & SHEA,

Take pleasure in announcing they have moved into their handsome new room, No. 41 West
Second Street, opposite State National Bank, where they are now displaying a new and com-
plete stock of

The Latest Designs in Heating and Cooking STOVES!

and all articles usually found in a first-class Stove and Tin Store.
Thankful for past favors, we pledge our best efforts to merit a continuance.

McCLANAHAN & SHEA.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

WE are authorized to announce GEO. W. SUL-
SER as a candidate for County Judge, sub-
ject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce T. L. BEST as a
candidate for Sheriff at the November elec-
tion, 1897, subject to the action of the Democratic
party.

WE are authorized to announce S. F. FERRINE
as a candidate for Sheriff of Mason County,
subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK.

W. W. COOK is the candidate for Circuit Clerk,
subject to the action of the Democratic
party.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC WOOD-
WARD as a candidate for re-election to the
office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of
the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce A. F. RESHINS
as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to
the action of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce I. N. WATSON
as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to
the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

WE are authorized to announce CLARENCE
L. WOOD as a candidate for County Clerk,
subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN C.
LOVELL as a candidate for County Clerk,
subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.

WE are authorized to announce IHRAM W. Z.
EARNSHAW as a candidate for County At-
torney, subject to the action of the Democratic
party.

WE are authorized to announce FRANK P.
O'DONNELL as a candidate for County At-
torney, subject to the action of the Democratic
party.

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

WE are authorized to announce G. W. BLAT-
TERMAN as a candidate for re-election to
the office of County Superintendent of Schools,
subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce C. D. WELLS
as a candidate for County Superintendent
of Schools, subject to the action of the Demo-
cratic party.

WE are authorized to announce MRS. CLARA
KEYES ALLEN as a candidate for County
Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action
of the Democratic party.

FOR JAILER.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN F. RYAN
as a candidate for Jailer, subject to the action
of the Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce I. L. McIL-
VAIN as a candidate for Jailer, subject to
the action of the Democratic party.

FOR ASSESSOR.

WE are authorized to announce W. H. HAWES
of Muerwa precinct, as a candidate for
County Assessor, subject to the action of the
Democratic party.

WE are authorized to announce GRANT G.
KILLPATRICK as a candidate for County
Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic
party.

WE are authorized to announce C. BURGESS
TAYLOR as a candidate for County Assessor,
subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Fine Bronze Gobblers. Address
MRS. JAMES KEY, Washington, Ky. 25-11

FOR SALE—A good second-hand hanging lamp.
In good order and will be sold cheap. Apply
at this office. 30-11

FOR SALE—A good fresh milk cow. Apply at
this office. 25-11

FOR SALE—House and four lots at a bargain.
Easy terms. Apply to FRANK DEVINE,
agent. 9-11

TWO MEN, SAME NAME.

One Cashed a Check That Belonged to the Other,

And is Now in Trouble—The Money Was Intended For Constable Dawson, of This City.

[Portsmouth Times.]

This is the story of two men, residents of the State of Kentucky, who had the same name. One of these men took advantage of this fact, and thereby hangs this tale.

The story begins early on the morning of October 20th last, when a fairly well-dressed man entered the store of the Sample Shoe Company, on Chillicothe street. He purchased a pair of shoes and tendered in payment an order on the treasury of the State of Kentucky for \$50. The order was made payable to Wm. Dawson. The customer said that his name was William Dawson, and that he lived at Garrison landing. He said he had received the check in payment of a claim. After some conversation with him, Mr. Lopinsky thought he was all right and cashed the check.

Mr. Lopinsky cashed the check, and in due course of time the check was returned to the State treasury at Frankfort and entered up as paid.

Thus the matter rested for several weeks. Then one day there popped up at the state house at Frankfort a letter from a man named William Dawson, of Maysville, Ky. He asserted that a claim of his against the State for \$50, as his share of a reward offered by the State, had been allowed and that he had never received his money. He wanted to know what was up. The matter was looked up and Mr. Dawson was notified that his check had been forwarded. Dawson denied having gotten the check, and an investigation was set on foot.

It developed that the clerk in the treasurer's office had made a mistake in mailing the letter and had addressed it to Wm. Dawson, Vanceburg, Ky. The postmaster at Vanceburg knew of a Dawson at Garrison's landing, and, without authority, forwarded it on to that point.

When Wm. Dawson, at Garrison's landing, got the letter, he claimed it as his own. He said to the postmaster that his father had a claim against the State and that he supposed that the check was sent him in payment. This satisfied the postmaster, and the check was turned over to Wm. Dawson. He then hustled to this city and had his order cashed.

The authorities of Kentucky say no claim had ever been presented by any Dawson from about Garrison's landing, and that the Dawson at that place had obtained possession of the note in a fraudulent manner. They propose to get after him and have him punished. He is a cooper by trade and is good for the money, and Mr. Lopinsky will not lose anything by the deal.

Married Seventy-one Years.

OWINGSVILLE, Ky., January 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Robertson, of this county, aged respectively ninety-two and eighty-seven years, will shortly celebrate the seventy-first anniversary of their marriage.

This aged couple live alone. Mrs. Robertson does the cooking and all the other household work, getting about with as much activity as a girl. She is an adept at cooking, and prides herself upon her art. Her husband does all the outside work about the place.

Died at Dover.

James Bayless Smith, eldest son of Dr. Fletcher Smith, of Dover, died at his home Saturday morning at 5 o'clock.

He was but recently married to Miss Eva W. Carle, of Portsmouth, and while visiting at her home during the holidays he was stricken with paralysis, which finally caused his death.

His funeral occurred Sunday at 2 o'clock.

New Grocery.

Everything in the grocery line, new and fresh, at L. K. Parry's, Market street.



Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against alum and all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Duley & Baldwin.

TRY Chenoweth's Cough Syrup. It cures.

If needing any thing in the drug line call on Henry W. Ray, druggist.

MR. DESHA BRECKINRIDGE takes editorial charge of the Lexington Herald to-day.

GEORGE C. JOHNSON, of North Middletown, has sold 20,000 pounds of tobacco at 8 cents.

THERE was one addition to the Christian Church last evening, and baptismal services after the sermon.

THE statistics show that in the last twenty-five years Kansas has produced \$776,000,000 worth of corn.

PARTIES whose occupation requires a city license should comply with the law if they do not want to get into trouble.

THE Board of Supervisors of Harrison County has completed its work. The valuation for 1897 is \$5,775,520, \$300,000 less than in 1896.

THOMAS MEANS CULBERTSON, of Ashland, son of ex-Congressman Culbertson, will wed Miss Mollie Pollard, of Catlettsburg, Wednesday.

TREACY & Wilson's big livery stable adjoining the Phoenix Hotel of Lexington was damaged to the extent of \$15,000 by fire Saturday night.

BIGGEST bargains ever known in heating stoves. To close out will sell them regardless of cost. Come quick to get choice, at W. F. Power's.

COAL is down to six and eight cents a bushel at Lexington as the result of lively competition among the dealers. The former prices were 10 and 12 cents.

EYESIGHT is priceless. When your eyes give you any trouble, don't delay getting glasses. Ballenger, the jeweler, will test them scientifically and fit them accurately.

THE Supreme Court of the United States reversed the Kentucky Court of Appeals in the case of the Lexington and Covington Turnpike Company against A. P. Sandford.

THE Court of Appeals affirmed the decision of the lower court giving the widow of James Kelley, of Louisville, judgment for \$12,500 damages against the L. and N.

Mrs. THOMAS MITCHELL, of Chicago, who is the guest of Major and Mrs. John Walsh, has a yardstick that was brought from Scotland to this country by her grandfather in 1814.

MR. HOWARD SINCLAIR, a revenue officer in this district, wedded Miss Sallie Kenney, of Georgetown, January 23, Rev. Geo. Darrie, of Frankfort, officiating. The groom was stationed here a few months last year.

THE Republican City and County Committee at Louisville held an exciting meeting Friday night. Epithets were bandied, coats were taken off and at one time it seemed that there would be a general fight.

JOHN HUGHES, JR., Oscar Hughes and Tony Henderson, who recently broke into Ort's store at Concord, were tried in the Circuit Court at Vanceburg last week and given sixteen months each in the penitentiary.

VALENTINE PEERS CHAPTER, Daughters of the American Revolution, of this city, has declared for Mrs. William H. Mackoy, of Covington for State Regent. Six other chapters in Kentucky have also declared for Mrs. Mackoy.

THE Courier-Journal says that the Boston team has decided to release second baseman McGann. McGann will probably be signed by the Louisville unless they succeed in getting second baseman Connor of the Chicago.

THERE will be an annular eclipse of the sun on February 1st, visible as a small partial eclipse in that portion of the United States lying south of a line drawn from Cape St. Lucas, Old California, through San Antonio, Texas, Memphis, Tenn., Marietta, Ohio, to Provincetown, near Cape Cod, Massachusetts.

SOUSA—king of conductors, peer of American comic opera composers, and undisputed ruler in the stirring realm of march music, is now traveling triumphantly on his tenth concert tour and with his superb band and fine soloist will give concerts in this city to-morrow afternoon at the Washington Opera House.

AN unusual shipment was received in Cincinnati Friday in the shape of a consignment of a car of rye flour from Russia. The flour came from Libau, Russia, and passed here over the Chesapeake and Ohio. The flour is desired by a Cincinnati baker whose customers appreciate the brand and have created a market for the bread that he makes from it.

ANOTHER ASYLUM SCANDAL.

Some More of Governor Bradley's Appointees Charged With Disgraceful Conduct.

[Enquirer.]

LEXINGTON, Ky., January 23.—From the very best of authority the Enquirer has it to-night that the investigation which Inspector and Examiner C. W. Lester is making of the affairs at the Eastern Kentucky Insane Asylum will result in the dismissal of one or more persons having care of the patients. Recently Superintendent Scott suspected that visits were being made by some male person to the room of a female attendant. He instructed his son Thomas to watch the room. Later the attendant was discharged.

Then before the Commissioners of the asylum charges of an astonishing nature were preferred against Thomas Scott. He however was vindicated, having produced an affidavit from the woman to the effect that he was not the guilty man. Young Scott resigned his position as Supervisor.

Charges were then preferred against Dr. Melvin Rhorer, First Assistant Physician, who, it is said, was instrumental in bringing charges against young Scott. It is alleged that Dr. Rhorer became intoxicated Christmas Eve and remained so, to the neglect of the patients under his charge for some days.

COLDEST OF THE SEASON.

A Blizzard Sunday and the Temperature Way Down Below Zero This Morning.

The cold wave that struck this section Saturday night developed into a young blizzard Sunday.

A keen wind swept down from the North, bringing with it a light snow, that kept many people within doors, and lessened the attendance at the church services.

By night the snow ceased falling, but the mercury didn't, and this morning it registered a temperature as low as ten and eleven degrees below zero in many places throughout the city.

The river is full of new-made ice to-day but it is not heavy enough to interfere much with the larger packets.

Another night like last night and the ice harvesters will be busy gathering their summer supply.

Such severe weather will cause suffering among the very poor classes and the city authorities should see that those who are really in need are supplied.

River News.

The towboat Annie L. was sold Saturday at Point Pleasant for \$2,000.

The Courier brought up a shipment of cotton this morning for the cotton mills here.

The Virginia is due down this evening and Shirley to-night. Stanley up to-night for Pomerooy.

The Gate City is now handling the Campbell's Creek barges between here and Point Pleasant.

Enquirer: "Tommy Oldham, who was on the Smoky City since last fall in the Southern towing business, is in the city, having left her when she passed up."

The steamer Boston, from New Orleans to Cincinnati, had a narrow escape from burning at Evansville Friday afternoon. Fire was discovered in some cotton bales on the roof and it was necessary to fling overboard quite a number of them to save the boat. It is only a few months ago that the Boston blew out a cylinder head at the same landing and scalded seriously several deck hands.

Over The C. and O.

There has been lively competition among the railroads at Chicago as to which should carry the Cook County Marching Club to Washington for the inauguration. The club numbers 2,500 men. U. L. Truitt, Northwestern Passenger Agent of the Big Four and Chesapeake and Ohio, has contracted to take the club over those roads, and, in consequence, the Big Four and the C. and O. passenger men are in high feather, says the Enquirer.

Death of Mr. John McTie.

Mr. John McTie died at the residence of Mr. Thomas Brannen near Clark's Station, this county, Sunday morning at 8 o'clock, of lung trouble. He was in his thirty-fourth year. Burial at the Washington Cemetery Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Deceased was a son of Mr. Patrick McTie.

Postmaster Meyers Robbed.

The Enquirer says: "Postmaster P. S. Meyers, of Mt. Olivet, Ky., Saturday reported to the police that he had been robbed of his purse containing \$23 while he was pitching rings at the canes in the museum."

Bought Another Shoe Factory.

The Lion Shoe Factory of Circleville, O., was sold at public sale Friday to Hamberger Bros., of this city, for \$5,500. The factory is in good order.

Mid-Winter Bargains!

On our cheap table will be found the following Bargains. It will pay you to look at them:



Ladies' All Wool Cashmere Hose,.....were 25c., now 15c.
Men's All Wool Half Hose,.....were 25c., now 15c.
Ladies' Ribbed Fleece Vests,.....were 25c., now 15c.
Children's Ribbed Vests and Pants,.....were 25c., now 15c.
Men's Camel's Hair Vests and Pants,.....were 50c., now 37½.

We Have Received Our New Line of Hamburg Edgings

and Insertings. It contains many new and desirable patterns never before shown in this market. We would be pleased to show these goods whether you desire to purchase or not.

BROWNING & CO

Ladies'

Vici Kid Goodyear Welt, button and polish, new style lasts, \$2.50, worth \$3.00. * * * * *

* * * F. B. RANSON & CO. * * *

The sale of reserved seats for "The Wife" opens to-morrow evening at Nelson's.

THE C. and O. road has established a branch of the Young Mens Christian Association for its employees in Lexington. Mr. W. K. Mathews will be the Secretary for both the Lexington and the Ashland branches and will have assistants at both places.

THE funeral of the late John W. McCormick occurred Sunday at 2 p. m. at the residence of his sister, Mrs. W. W. Watkins. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. John S. Hays, after which the remains were interred in the Maysville Cemetery.

"EL CAPITAN" is the most brilliantly successful comic opera ever composed by an American. At least it is, if the verdict of its audiences is any indication of its worth. Sousa—its creator—will play excerpts from his splendid work during his engagement in this city with his matchless band to-morrow afternoon.

COLONEL AND Mrs. I. B. NALL, of Louisville, announce the marriage of their daughter, Leafy, to Mr. Harry Thompson Shanks, to take place on Thursday, February 18. Mr. Shanks is the car accountant of the Western and Alabama railroad, and is now stationed at Montgomery, Ala., where the young couple will reside. Miss Nall visited the Misses Perrie of this city a few years ago, and made many warm friends while in Maysville.

SOUSA's magnificent tour is unprecedented in the record of great musical exploits. "The March King" and his unrivaled men will travel over 21,000 miles in ninety-six days, visiting 169 towns and cities and playing a continuous series of 208 concerts. They traverse the territory from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from the Gulf of Mexico to Prince Edward Island. That they are able to accomplish such results, is emphatic proof of the universal favor Sousa enjoys. Hear this matchless band to-morrow afternoon at the opera house.

A YOUNG lady in Indiana advertised for a male correspondent, with a view to matrimony, and was soon in correspondence with a man from the southern part of Kentucky. Photos were exchanged and the correspondence soon resulted in an engagement. The day was set and they were to meet at Danville. The lady arrived on time and was met at the depot by a big burly negro. He asked her if she was Miss — and wanted to see Mr. —. She answered in the affirmative, and the negro then placed her in a hack and drove her to one of the out-of-the-way negro settlements. When she asked to see the man she was to marry the negro stepped up to her and said, "I am the gentleman." She screamed, fainted and caused a sensation, after finding out that she had carried on a love correspondence with a negro, who had sent her a photo of a handsome man."

R. B. LOVEL,

ENCOURAGED by my largely increased business of the past year, and in order to meet the largely increasing demands of my trade, I have taken advantage of the great depression in business throughout the country, which has been the cause of forcing large quantities of the most desirable goods in my line on the market at extremely low prices, and bought for cash the largest, cleanest and most attractive stock of goods ever offered to the people of this city. Therefore, I am in condition to offer to cash and prompt paying customers the greatest bargains ever offered to the trade and at the same time give them the very best class of goods. My stock consists of every article and much more than can be found in many strictly first-class houses in the country, consisting of Staple and Fancy Groceries and Canned Goods, best Sugar-cured Hams and Breakfast Bacon, Flour of various brands—blue wheat Flour, Graham Flour, Entire Wheat Flour, Wheaties;

NOW FOR '97.

pure Maple Syrup, the best brands of Pickles, Snider's Cuspid and Chili Sauce, pure Cream Cheese, Prunes, both green and dried, of all kinds; in fact, every article that can be named and at prices that knock out all competition. My house is headquarters for Poultry, Game and Oysters in season, always fresh and tempting, and when you want the best cakes and bread don't fail to buy my Perfection Flour—it is always the best; and my blend of Coffee has no equal. Watch for my Specialty, and don't fail to take advantage of them. I want country people when in our city to make my house headquarters; you are always welcome. And don't forget that I run two wagons regular and will deliver all goods promptly. If you can't come, telephone No. 83, and your wants will be attended to. Thanking all for the very liberal patronage of the past, I hope, by fair dealing and prompt and polite attention to the wants of the public, to merit a continuance of same.

The Leading Grocer.

AND NOW MAJOR WOOD

Is the Individual Who May be Appointed U. S. Senator by Governor Bradley.

FRANKFORT, January 22.—There may be a big surprise in store for every one when March 5th arrives.

There are certain little inexplicable reasons for believing that A. T. Wood, former candidate for Governor, instead of Yerkes, will be appointed United States Senator on that day.

Then when the extra session does meet and regularly elects Yerkes or some other, Mr. Wood would be a valuable man to make a Consul or some other sort of an official out of.

The appointment of some one is sure to come March 5th and the extra session later.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. James Wood.

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Cincinnati Tobacco Market.

	Hhds.
Offerings for the week	2,847
Receipts for the week	408
Actual sale for the week	1,840
Receipts for the week	1,000
Offerings of new for the week	5-3

The 1,754 hhds old offered this week averaged \$4 69 per 100 lbs, against \$5 for 1,989 hhds the previous week and \$5 61 for 1,127 hhds the corresponding week last year. The prices on the 1,754 hhds old ranged as follows: 918, 80 @ \$3 95; 361, \$4 @ \$5 95; 190, \$6 07 1/2; 187, \$8 20 1/2; 76, \$10 @ 11 75; 49, \$12 @ 14 75; 20, \$15 @ 19; 4, \$20 @ 21 50.

The 533 hhds new offered this week averaged \$4 78 per 100 lbs.

Coldest of the Winter in Michigan.
DETROIT, Jan. 25.—Michigan is experiencing the coldest weather of the winter. The temperature ranges from degrees below zero in Detroit to 15 degrees below at upper peninsula points.

Old Gold, 1/2 barrel.....	53 75
Maysville Fancy, 1/2 barrel.....	6 75
Mason County, 1/2 barrel.....	8 25
Morning Glory, 1/2 barrel.....	8 25
Roller King, 1/2 barrel.....	6 75
Magnolia, 1/2 barrel.....	8 75
Blue Grass, 1/2 barrel.....	8 25
Graham, 1 sack.....	12 61 1/2

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